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The amendment filed October 19, 1998 has been entered. Finality of the previous Office action is withdrawn, so no appeal brief is due.

A reference relevant to the examination of this application may soon become available.

Ex parte prosecution is SUSPENDED.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Bruce Campell, whose telephone number is 703-308-4205. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday from 8:00 to 4:30 (Eastern time). The examiner can also be reached on alternate Fridays.

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